I think the sale of the Cablevision/VOOM DBS licenses at 61.5 to Echostar/Dishnetwork should be quickly approved by the FCC. Echostar is now a large provider with positive earnings and cash flow to better support the use of this satellite to serve the 11 million subscribers of Dishnetwork to receive High Definition programming.

Cablevision is shutting down VOOM since it was unable to attract subscribers. To put onerous requirements on CVC to sell its assets would result in the needless devaluation of a of a satellite.

I fully support the license transfer, with the licenses transferring to Dish a very large number of Americans will be able to benefit.